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This certification is filed in accordance with Title 47 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Section 54.314. The California Public Utilities Commission certifies that the following telecommunications carriers will use all federal high-cost support received pursuant to 47 CFR Sections 54.301, 54.305, and/or 54.307 and/or part 36, subpart F only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, consistent with § 254(e) of the Telecommunications Act (1996).

Carrier Name

Calaveras Telephone Company
Cal-Ore Telephone Company
Citizens Telecommunications Company of California
Citizens Telecommunications Company of Golden State
Citizens Telecommunications Company of Tuolumne
Ducor Telephone Company
Evans Telephone Company
Foresthill Telephone Company
Happy Valley Telephone Company
Hornitos Telephone Company
Kerman Telephone Company
Pinnacles Telephone Company
Sierra Telephone Company
Siskiyou Telephone Company
The Ponderosa Telephone Company
The Volcano Telephone Company
Verizon West Coast Inc.
Winterhaven Telephone Company

Sincerely,

Wesley M. Franklin
Executive Director

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cc: Loretta Lynch, Commission President and above carriers